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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME, SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, AND STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Sir:

PETITION

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") for a two-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for filing a second supplemental response to the final Office Action mailed on October 13, 2006 in the above-captioned application ("the Application"). The Advisory Action mailed on March 2, 2007 indicated that the period set for reply expires four months from the date of the final rejection. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the time for response be extended up to and including April 13, 2007. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$450.00 to cover the two-month extension of time fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

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RESPONSE

This Amendment supplements the Supplemental Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, filed February 13, 2007, and the Amendment in Response to Final Office Action Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, filed December 13, 2006, and is responsive to the Advisory Action dated March 2, 2007 received in the above-captioned application.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 3 of this Amendment.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this Amendment.